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CIRCULAR. DOWNING STREET,
16th January, 1878.

SIR,—With reference to my Circular Despatch of the 3rd March, 1875, enclosing a copy of a Treaty between Her Majesty and the Swiss Confederation for the mutual surrender of fugitive criminals, I have the honour to transmit to you for publication in the Colony under your Government, a copy of a letter from the Foreign Office forwarding a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Berne, enclosing a copy of a note from the Swiss Federal Council, denouncing the Treaty and stating that they are ready to enter into negotiations with this country for a new Treaty in which Article III. of the present Treaty should be revised and other emendations introduced.

I have, etc.,
(Signed) CARNARVON.

To the Officer administering
the Government of Canada.

Foreign Office to Colonial Office.

COPY. FOREIGN OFFICE,
January 5th, 1878.

SIR,—I am directed by the Earl of Derby to transmit to you, for the information of the Earl of Carnar-

von, copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Berne, enclosing copy of a note from the Swiss Federal Council, denouncing the Treaty of Extradition of March 31, 1874, between Great Britain and Switzerland, and stating that they are ready to enter into negotiations with Great Britain for a new Treaty in which Article III. of the present Treaty should be revised and other emendations introduced.

I am, etc.,
(Signed) JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE.

Mr. Corbett to the Earl of Derby

COPY. BERNE,
No. 104. December 30, 1877.

MY LORD,—I have the honour to enclose copy of a note dated the 22nd instant, but which only reached my hand this day, addressed to me by the Federal Council, denouncing the Extradition Treaty of the 31st March—28th November, between Great Britain and Switzerland.

The reasons, amongst others, given for this step are the melancholy results of the demand made for the extradition of Alfred Thomas Wilson.

The Federal Council declares itself ready to enter into negotiations with Great Britain for a new Treaty, in which Article III. of the present Treaty should be revised and other emendations introduced, and expresses the desire that the negotiations should take place at Berne.

I have informed the Federal Council, in answer to this communication, that I had immediately forwarded copy of it to your Lordship.

I have, etc.,
(Signed) EDWIN CORBETT.

BERNE,
22 Décembre, 1877.

LES tristes expériences qui ont été faites à l'occasion de la demande d'extradition présentée contre le nommé Alfred Thomas Wilson prévenu de vol objets postaux pour une valeur d'environ fr. 50,000 ont convaincu le Conseil fédéral suisse de la nécessité de réviser le traité d'extradition conclu en 1874 entre la Suisse et la Grande Bretagne.

L'Article 3 de ce traité interdit d'une manière absolue à chacune des deux parties contractantes de livrer à l'autre ses propres ressortissants qui se sont rendus coupables de crimes à l'étranger et qui ont réussi à se réfugier dans leur patrie. D'autre part la législation de la Grande Bretagne ne permet pas de poursuivre le ressortissants du pays qui ont commis des crimes à l'étranger à moins que ce ne soit au détriment de sujets britanniques. En outre il paraît nécessaire d'introduire dans le traité une clause relative à la restitution des objets volés. Il y aurait peut-être encore d'autres améliorations à y faire rentrer.

Dans ces circonstances, le Conseil fédéral ne croit pouvoir mieux faire que d'user du droit que lui confère l'Article XVII du traité d'extradition conclu le 31 Mars—28 Novembre 1874, entre la Suisse et la Grande Bretagne et de dénoncer ce traité, dans les conditions prévues par ledit article, tout en se déclarant prêt à entrer en négociations pour la conclusion d'un nouveau traité ayant pour but la révision de l'article III, et d'autres dispositions encore du traité actuellement existant.

Le Conseil fédéral prend la liberté d'exprimer le vœu que ces négociations aient lieu à Berne et prie Monsieur le Ministre Résident de S. M. Britannique en Suisse de bien vouloir communiquer à Son Gouvernement la dénonciation du traité dont il s'agit, et de lui faire savoir en temps utile les mesures qui auront été ordonnées pour la conclusion du nouveau traité.

Il sait cet.

Le Président de la
Confédération Suisse,
(Signé) HEER.

Le Chancelier de la
Confédération,
(Signé) SCHIESS.

DOWNING STREET,
19th January, 1878.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit to you, for the information of your Government, a copy of a letter from the Foreign Office, relative to the negotiation of a fresh Commercial Treaty between Great Britain and Italy, together with a copy of the reply which I have caused to be returned to the Foreign Office.

I have, etc.,
(Signed) CARNARVON.

To the Officer administering
the Government of Canada.

The Foreign Office to the Colonial Office.

(Copy.)

FOREIGN OFFICE,
31st December, 1877.

SIR,—I am directed by the Earl of Derby to state to you, for the information of the Earl of Carnarvon, that in June, 1875, the Italian Government gave notice to terminate the Commercial Treaty of the 6th of August, 1863, between Great Britain and Italy; but that by successive Declarations the duration of this Treaty has been prolonged. According to present arrangements it will remain in force until the 31st of March next.

It appears by a Despatch recently received from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Rome, that the Italian Government will probably propose to negotiate a fresh Commercial Treaty. Until definite proposals are received, Lord Derby is unable to state what alterations the Italian Government are likely to ask for in the terms of the present Treaty. But, as far as his Lordship is able to judge, these alterations will not affect Colonial interests, the point to which the Italian Government seem to attach chief importance being conditions relating to the tenure of land in Italy by Foreigners.

It will be seen from the present Treaty, of which, for convenience of reference, a copy is enclosed, that its terms apply to all Dominions and Possessions of the two high contracting parties. I am accordingly to inquire, in view of negotiations which may be commenced at an early date, whether Lord Carnarvon would wish that, in any fresh Commercial Treaty, the stipulations relative to Colonies and Foreign Possessions should be renewed, or whether they should be omitted, and an Article, in the terms suggested in your letter of the 14th of August last, be substituted for them.

I am, &c.,
(Signed) JULIAN PAUNCEFOTE.

The Colonial Office to the Foreign Office.
(Copy.)

DOWNING STREET,
18th January, 1878.

SIR,—I am directed by the Earl of Carnarvon to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 31st ultimo, relative to the negotiation of a fresh Commercial Treaty between Great Britain and Italy, for which proposals may probably be made.

In reply, I am to request that you will state to the Earl of Derby that if the new Treaty is in the same form as the existing one, it should be made to apply to the British Colonies; but that if any important changes are introduced, Lord Carnarvon would wish to have an opportunity of considering them in relation to the Colonies before expressing an opinion on the subject.

I am to add that a copy of your letter and of their reply will be transmitted to the Governors of Colonies possessing responsible Government for their information.

I am, etc.,
(Signed) W. R. MALCOLM.

Notice to Claimants of Land.

YALE-LYTTON DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of Yale-Lytton have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of W. Teague, Esquire, Commissioner, Yale, viz:—

Lots 31, 32, 33, Group I.

F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 9th, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

PUBLIC HIGHWAYS.

TOWNSHIP NO. 9.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following Highways, 40 feet in width, are hereby established in Township No. 9, New Westminster District, viz:—

No. 1.—Commencing at the South-East corner of lot 254, Group I; thence North on the line between lot 254 and the Indian Reserve, and lots 282 and 280, a distance of 9,300 links, more or less, to the North-East corner of lot 282; thence West, on the line between lots 223 and 282, a distance of 900 links, more or less, to the South-East corner of lot 283; thence North, between lots 223 and 283, 204 and 261, a distance of 6,900 links, more or less, to the North-East corner of lot 261, including 20 feet on each side thereof.

No. 2.—Commencing at the North-East corner of lot 243, Group I; thence south along the West boundary of lot 248, a distance of 10,500 links, more or less, to the road from Maple Ridge; including 20 feet on each side thereof. F. GEO. VERNON,

Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works,
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 23rd, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by A. W. Vowell, Esq., Gold Commissioner, Cassiar District, at Laketon, up to 12 o'clock noon on 10th June, 1878, for the right of maintaining a Ferry, for the term of five (5) years, across Rapid River, at a point intersected by the trail from Sylvester's Landing to Walker's Creek.

The said Ferry to be capable of carrying not less than ten (10) pack animals and their loads. The Ferry right to extend five (5) miles above and five (5) miles below the crossing.

Tenders to state the rent proposed, the rate of toll for passengers, animals, and freight.

Officers and Freight of the Provincial Government to pass free.

The lowest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th November, 1877.

NOTICE.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the reservation, dated the 10th April, 1875, of the North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 1, Township No. 2, New Westminster District, has been rescinded.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 9th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.****TOWNSHIP No. 17.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following Sections in Township No. 17 have been subdivided by survey, and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esquire, Commissioner, New Westminster, viz:—

South-East $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 2.
North $\frac{1}{2}$ $\frac{1}{2}$ 3.
Sections 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10.
North $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 11.
North $\frac{1}{2}$ of South $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 11.
North-West $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 12.
Sections 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 22, 23.
South-West portion of Section 24.
Lot 6, Group 3.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, at New Westminster.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 16th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the District of New Westminster have been sub-divided by survey, and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster, viz:—

Township 4.—S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of S.E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 10; S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 11; N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Section 11; S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of S.W. $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 14; N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$ of N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 25; N.E. $\frac{1}{4}$, Section 36.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 9th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**KOOTENAY DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lots 1, 2, and 3, Group I, Kootenay District, have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of C. Booth, Esquire, Government Agent, Kootenay.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in the manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, 16th March, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.**CARIBOO DISTRICT**

NOTICE is hereby given, that a Townsite has been laid out and surveyed on the Government Reserve situate on Lowhee Creek and Stout Gulch, and that the said Town has been named "Carnarvon."

Plans of the Town can be seen at the office of the Government Agent, Cariboo, and at the Land Office, Victoria.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, March 9th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**YALE DISTRICT.****KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that the following lands situate in the Kamloops Division of Yale District, have been surveyed, and the maps thereof deposited in the office of John Ussher, Commissioner, Kamloops, and William Teague, Government Agent, Yale.

Lots—351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 262, 363, 364, 365, and 366, Group one (1).

YALE DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.**Lot 40, Group I.**

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in accordance with the "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declarations can be obtained at the office of the Government Agents at Kamloops and Yale.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 16th, 1878.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.**TOWN OF CARNARVON.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the unreserved Lots in the Town of Carnarvon will be offered for sale at Public Auction in Cariboo, on the 29th April, 1878. Upset price, \$50 per lot.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 3rd, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.**NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lots 421, 422, and 423, Group one (1), New Westminster District, have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., Commissioner, New Westminster.

And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, March 16th, 1878.

NOTICE.**CARIBOO DISTRICT.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all that portion of Cariboo District situate to the east of Fraser River, and north of Quesnelle River, has been reserved from the effect of the following clauses in the "Land Act, 1875," relating to the granting of timber leases, viz.: Nos 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, and 46. Also from the effect of clause 62, "Land Act, 1875," except as to the purchase of land for agricultural purposes, until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

NOTICE.**GABRIOLA ISLAND—NANAIMO DISTRICT.**

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with clause 23, "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown land situate within the boundaries of Gabriola Island, will be open for pre-emption or purchase at ten o'clock, a.m. on Wednesday, the 10th day of April, 1878, at the office of T. L. Fawcett, Esq., Government Agent, Nanaimo.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that Lot forty-two (42), Block two (2), in the Town of Hope is reserved until further notice.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, February, 16th, 1878

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

OSOYOOS DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that sections 5, 6, 7, 8, 17, 2, 29, 32, and portion of 33, Township No. 5, Osoyoos District, has been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of Charles Vernon, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Okanagan. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

OSOYOOS DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that a portion of Sections 4, 8, 9, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, and 32, and the whole of Sections 30 and 31, Township No. 51, Osoyoos District, have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of Charles Vernon, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Okanagan. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

TOWN OF CARNARVON.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the following lots situate in the Town of Carnarvon, Cariboo District, are reserved:—

Lot 5, Block G,
" 6, " G,
" 5, " P,
" 6, " P.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

OSOYOOS DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Sections 3, 10, 16, 19, and portion of Sections 2, 4, 9, 11, 14, 15, 17, 18, 20, 21, 30, and 31, Township No. 52; also Lots 107 and 114, Group 1, Osoyoos District, have been surveyed, and the map thereof deposited in the office of Charles Vernon, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Okanagan. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 6th April, 1878.

NOTICE.

CARIBOO DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the reservation dated the 9th March, 1878, placed in Cariboo District, exempting all that portion of the said District situate to the East of Fraser River from the effect of clause 62, "Land Act, 1875," is rescinded.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 6th, 1878.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

LILLOOET DISTRICT.

SEALED TENDERS will be received by the undersigned, endorsed "Tender for Lillooet Ferry," up to 12 o'clock noon, Monday, 6th May, 1878, for the right of maintaining a Ferry across Fraser River, at Lillooet, for the term of five (5) years, with the privilege of collecting the undermentioned Tolls, viz:—

For every 100 lbs of freight.....	\$ 12 $\frac{1}{2}$
" passenger	25
" two-horse vehicle	2 50
" horse, mule, or head of cattle...	1 00
" sheep, hog, calf, or goat	37 $\frac{1}{2}$
Large or unwieldy cases or packages of merchandise, per ton measurement	2 50

A substantial Ferry will be provided by the Government. The Ferry right to extend four (4) miles above and four (4) miles below Lillooet.

The Officers of the Provincial Government, with their animals and freight to pass free.

The competition will be on the amount of rent to be paid to the Government for the Ferry right. The rent to be paid yearly in advance.

Tenders must be made on the printed forms, which can be obtained at the Offices of the Government Agents at Lillooet and Clinton, and at the Land Office, Victoria.

With each Tender must be submitted the names of two responsible parties, willing to sign a Bond for the sum of \$250, as security for the regular payment of the rent.

The highest or any Tender not necessarily accepted.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, April 4th, 1878.

NOTICE TO CLAIMANTS OF LAND.

KAMLOOPS DIVISION OF YALE DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that a portion of Sections 28, 29, 30, 32, and 33, Township No. 117, Kamloops Division of Yale District, have been surveyed and the map thereof deposited in the office of John Ussher, Esq., Assistant Commissioner, Kamloops. And that claimants of any portion of this land should prove up their claims in manner provided by the "Land Act, 1875."

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Land & Works,
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 6th April, 1878.

Miscellaneous Notices.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to an order of the Supreme Court of British Columbia in Chancery, made in the matter of the estate of Ernest Dassonville, late of Kamloops, deceased, and in a cause wherein Antoine Casamayou is plaintiff, and John Andrew Mara and William Jones, executors of the last will and testament of Ernest Dassonville, are defendants, the creditors of the said Ernest Dassonville, who died in or about the month of April, 1876, are on or before the 4th day of May, A. D. 1878, to send by post, prepaid to the Registrar of the Supreme Court at Victoria, their Christian and surnames, addresses and descriptions, the full particulars of their claims, a statement of their accounts, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them, or in default thereof they will be summarily excluded from the benefit of the said order. Every creditor holding any security is to produce the same on Tuesday, the 7th day of May, A. D. 1878, at 12 o'clock noon, being the time appointed for adjudicating on the same.

Dated the 22nd day of March, A. D. 1878.

CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT,
Acting Deputy Registrar.

ELI HARRISON, JR.,
Solicitor for Plaintiff's.

ALEX. A. E. B. DAVIE,
Solicitor for the Executors

"The Foreign Companies Act, 1876."

CHARLES SAMUEL WINDSOR
versus

THE NORTH-WESTERN COMMERCIAL COMPANY.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen Defender of the Faith.

To the North-Western Commercial Company.

We command you, that within eight days after the service of this Writ on you, inclusive of the day of such service, you do cause an appearance to be entered for you in our Supreme Court of British Columbia, in an action at the suit of Charles Samuel Windsor. And take notice, that in default of your so doing, the said Charles Samuel Windsor may proceed therein to Judgment and execution.

Witness, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, at Victoria, the 21st day of March, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight.

N. B.—This Writ is to be served within six calendar months from the date thereof, or if renewed, from the date of such renewal, including the day of such date, and not afterwards.

This Writ was issued by Alexander Edmund Batson Davie, of Langley Street, Victoria, Attorney for the said Plaintiff. The Plaintiff claims \$2,891 23 for debt, and \$10 for costs, and if the amount thereof be paid to the Plaintiff or to his Attorney within four days from the service hereof, further proceedings will be stayed.

The following are the particulars of Plaintiff's claim:—

Sept. 1, 1876, passage from New Westminster to Victoria and expenses	\$ 6 00
March 30, 1877, 7 months' work at \$185 per month	1,295 00
Sept. 19, 1877, 5 months and 17 days at \$200 a month	1,130 73
Expenses in Victoria finishing cans as per Bill of particulars.....	23 50
Expenses going to San Francisco to collect wages at Wm. Neill's request.....	62 00
3 months' wages, as per terms of agreement made with Wm. Neill at San Francisco on or about 26th September, 1877, at \$120 per month and 5 per cent. of net profits.....	360 00
Oct., expenses to Inverness.....	15 00
Total.....	\$2,891 23

The Plaintiff also claims interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per annum on \$2,891 23 from the date of the Writ until Judgment.

N. B.—Take notice that if a Defendant served with this Writ within the Jurisdiction of the Court do not appear according to the exigency thereof, the Plaintiff will be at liberty to sign final Judgment for any sum not exceeding the sum above claimed, with interest at the rate specified, and such sum as shall be allowed on taxation for costs, and issue Execution at the expiration of eight days from the last day of appearance.

I, Charles James Leggatt, Acting Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court, hereby give notice that service of the above process was made against the Company on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1878.

CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT,
Acting Deputy Registrar.

Dated 21st day of March, 1878.

"The Foreign Companies Act, 1876."

ROBERT DRANEY
versus

THE NORTH-WESTERN COMMERCIAL COMPANY.

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Colonies thereunto belonging, Queen Defender of the Faith.

To the North-Western Commercial Company.

We command you that within eight days after the service of this Writ on you, inclusive of the day of such service, you do cause an appearance to be entered for you in our Supreme Court of British Columbia

in an action at the suit of Robert Draney. And take notice that in default of you so doing, the said Robert Draney may proceed therein to Judgment and Execution.

Witness, Sir Matthew Baillie Begbie, Knight, Chief Justice, at the Supreme Court House, Victoria, the 21st day of March, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-eight.

N. B.—This Writ is to be served within six calendar months from the date thereof, or if renewed, from the date of such renewal, including the day of such date, and not afterwards.

This Writ was issued by Alexander Edmund Batson Davie, of Langley Street, Victoria, Attorney for the said plaintiff. The Plaintiff claims \$200 for debt, and \$10 for costs, and if the amount thereof be paid to the Plaintiff, or to his Attorney, within four days from the service hereof, further proceedings will be stayed.

The following are the particulars of Plaintiff's claim:—

1877. To balance due for work and labour done by Plaintiff for the Defendants, at their request, \$200.

The Plaintiff claims the like sum on an account stated between the parties.

N. B.—Take notice that if a Defendant served with this writ within the jurisdiction of the Court, do not appear according to the exigency thereof, the Plaintiff will be at liberty to sign final Judgment for any sum not exceeding the sum above claimed, and such sum as shall be allowed on taxation for costs, and issue execution at the expiration of eight days from the last day of appearance.

I, Charles James Leggatt, Acting Deputy Registrar of the Supreme Court, hereby give notice that service of the above process was made against the Company on the 21st day of March, A. D. 1878.

CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT,
Acting Deputy Registrar.

Dated 21st March, 1878.

NOTICE.

IS hereby given, that all Mining Claims legally held in the Okanagan Division of the Yale District, may be laid over from 1st November, 1877, until the 15th April, 1878, subject however to the provisions contained in Clause 9 "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

CHAS. A. VERNON,
Assistant Gold Commissioner.
Okanagan, November 1st, 1877.

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of LEON BLAS, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS who are indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts, on or before the 9th May, 1878, to

HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.

Victoria, 9th February, 1878.

NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Mining Claims legally held, at this date, by the Perseverance Company on Leech River, Vancouver Island, British Columbia, are laid over until the 1st day of September, 1878. F. GEO. VERNON,
Gold Commissioner.

Lands & Works Office, 22nd Feb., 1878.

"Crown Grants Ordinance 1870."**SOMENOS DISTRICT.**

NOTICE is hereby given that, I shall, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to JAMES NEWSHAM PEERS, of those pieces of land known as Sections 5 and 6, Range III, on the Official Map of Somenos District, unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Registrar-General.

Land Registry Office, 11th December, 1877.

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District will be laid over till the 15th of June, 1878, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Amendment Act, 1872."

A. W. VOWELL,
Laketon, September 25th, 1877. *Gold Commissioner*

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st November next, all gold mining claims in the Kootenay District will be laid over until the 1st of June, 1878, subject to legal reservation. *See Section 9 "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."*

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Gold Commissioner.

Wild Horse Creek, Kootenay, 8th October, 1877.

Insolvent Act of 1875 and amending Acts.

LEWIS CAMPBELL, *Plaintiff*, HENRY FELKER, *of or near 143 Mile Post British Columbia, Defendant.*

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT has been issued in this cause.

C. T. DUPONT,
Victoria, January 9th, 1878. Official Assignee.

GOLD COMMISSIONER'S NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st November next, all claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th May, 1878, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."

H. M. BALL,
Richfield, October 13th, 1877. Gold Commissioner.

LAND REGISTRY ORDINANCE, 1870.

Lot No. 879, Victoria City,
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Land Registry Ordinance, 1870," that I shall issue a duplicate certificate of title to Victoria Town (now City) Lot number 879, in the name of MARGARET LINKLATER, unless cause be shown to the contrary within one month from the date hereof.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, 11th January, 1878. Registrar-General.

NOTICE.

PURSUANT to a Decree of the Supreme Court of British Columbia made, in a cause of Henry Rhodes against Alexander McNab, the Creditors of Samuel Harris, late of Cowichan, saloon keeper, deceased, who died on or about the 2nd day of May, 1877, are, by their Solicitors, on or before the 22nd day of February, to come in and prove their debts before Charles James Leggatt, Esq., Acting Deputy Registrar of the said Supreme Court, at his Office, Supreme Court House, James' Bay, Victoria, or in default thereof they will be summarily excluded the benefit of the said Decree.

Monday, the 25th day of February instant, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, is appointed to hear and adjudicate upon the claims.

CHARLES JAMES LEGGATT,
Acting Deputy Registrar.
DRAKE & JACKSON,
Solicitors for the Plaintiff.

Dated 1st day of February, 1878.

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